

MINUTES
MONTANA SENATE
68th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION
COMMITTEE ON (S) FINANCE AND CLAIMS

Call to Order: Chair Sen. John Esp-R, on January 16, 2023 at 2:19 PM, in 317

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Sen. Janet Ellis, Vice Chair (D)
Sen. Carl Glimm, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Dan Bartel (R)
Sen. Kenneth Bogner (R)
Sen. Ellie Boldman (D)
Sen. Mike Cuffe (R)
Sen. Pat Flowers (D)
Sen. Mike Lang (R)
Sen. Dennis Lenz (R)
Sen. Forrest Mandeville (R)
Sen. Tom McGillvray (R)
Sen. Christopher Pope (D)
Sen. Daniel Salomon (R)
Sen. Shelley Vance (R)
Sen. Jeffrey Welborn (R)

Members Excused: Sen. John Esp (R)
Sen. John Fuller (R)
Sen. Ryan Lynch (D)
Sen. Shane Morigeau (D)

Staff Present: Julie Johnson, Research Analyst
Joe Triem, Fiscal Analyst
Cy Walsh, Secretary

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted:

HB 1 01/11/2023

Executive Action:

HB 1 BE CONCURRED IN

HEARING ON HB 1 - Feed bill to fund 68th legislative session and prepare for 2025

Opening Statement:

14:20:38 Rep. Llew Jones (R), HD 18, opened the hearing on HB 1, Feed bill to fund 68th legislative session and prepare for 2025.

Proponent Testimony:

None

Opponent Testimony:

None

14:23:12 Sen. Fuller has arrived

Informational Witness Testimony:

14:23:54 Jerry Howe, Director of Legislative Services

14:24:08 Angie Carter, Financial Director of Legislative Branch

Questions from Committee:

None

14:25:22 Sen. Morigeau has arrived

Closing Statement:

14:24:54 Rep. Llew Jones (R), HD 18, closed the hearing on HB 1.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 1 - Feed bill to fund 68th legislative session and prepare for 2025

14:25:50 **Motion:** Sen. Tom McGillvray moved that **HB 1 BE CONCURRED IN.**

14:25:50 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 14:27:31

Cy Walsh, Secretary

Additional Documents: [EXHIBIT\(230116FCSaad\)](#)